

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: NILS CARLIN ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 10/577,861

FILED: November 1, 2006

FOR:

GROUP ART UNIT: 1645

EXAMINER: Porter, V.

ATTY. REFERENCE: CARL3006/REF



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims	17	- 20 <sup>1</sup>	= 0 <sup>3</sup>	× \$ 26 =	× \$ 52 =
Independent Claims	6	- 3 <sup>2</sup>	= 3 <sup>3</sup>	× \$110 =	× \$ 220 = \$330.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$195 =	+ \$390 =
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>\$330.00</b>

<sup>1</sup> If less than 20 enter 20. <sup>2</sup> If less than 3 enter 3. <sup>3</sup> If less than 0 enter 0.

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account Number 02-0200 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☐ Also enclosed is/are:

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Customer Number

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Applicant : Nils CARLIN et al. **Confirmation No. 9697**  
Appl. No. : 10/577,861  
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Title : Expression System for the B Subunit of  
: Cholera Toxin  
  
Group Art Unit : 1645  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the election requirement of January 30, 2009 in connection with the above-identified application. This response is timely filed.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.